

The fees submitted with the instant petition have been applied as follows: \$710.00 basic filing fee, \$130.00 surcharge for late filing of declaration, and \$1870.00 toward the extension of time. Deposit account no. 50-1594, as per the authorization contained in the petition, has been charged \$20.00 in connection with the extension of time fee such that the total amount paid for the extension of time is \$1890.00, as required.

As applicant did not authorize the Office to refund any excess fees submitted, therefore, applicant must submit a request for a refund to the Office of Finance, Refund Section. A copy of this decision should accompany such a request. Applicant is entitled to a refund of the petition fee submitted, namely, \$1,240.00.

This application will be forwarded to Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

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